

When Mrs. Brooks described her husband's fondness for the current news of the day, she said:

"I read three daily papers to him every morning," she said, "and he used to ask me to read before I washed the breakfast dishes. He was very fond of the Spanish war and in the Dreyfus case. His sympathies were with Dreyfus, and he thought that the Spaniards should have been hung. He took a keen interest in the Botkin cases, and often said that Mrs.

He said he advanced money to both Sam and Allie. I believe that he was of sound mind and his memory for the last several years has been good for one of his age."

"Have you had any understanding," asked Attorney Frick on cross-examination, "of the fact that the two notes, one for \$1,500 and the other for \$1,000, would be cancelled in case the will was sustained?"

"No, sir."

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—After a two hours' session today the Board of stewards of the Western Turf Association rendered a decision completely exonerating Danny Lynch of any wrongdoing in the handling of the horse-Hard Knot, and dismissed the charges made against Jockeys Joe Piggett and Willie Martin.

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More Rain in Texas.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

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EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS

WRITE THE PEOPLE

"Electrozone cured me of stomach trouble in its worst form," writes C. A. Cole, the merchant, of 349 Spring Street, Los Angeles, Cal. If Electrozone cured Cole, is not it sufficient proof that Electrozone will cure you?

"Electrozone cured me; send me six more bottles for a friend of mine who is very ill. I spent \$100 in Sacramento, with no relief. Electrozone cured me," writes Frank McCormick of Roseville, Cal. More proof? Write McCormick. He will verify his letter.

"I used Electrozone in my family with beneficial results. Electrozone does all you claim for it," writes J. B. Whittington, merchant tailor, 211 W. Third Street, Los Angeles.

"Electrozone for women is a blessing. I am 58 years old and know whereof I speak. I write this for the benefit of some sufferer. Electrozone cured me when all else failed," writes Mrs. M. A. Hinds, 431 Darwin Street, Los Angeles. Electrozone will certainly cure you.

"Every sick person should take Electrozone. It cured me of a serious and long standing disease." T. H. C. Hurley, San Diego. Electrozone has few equals.

"I use Electrozone as a family remedy—it is good," writes Mrs. M. S. Gurke, of Omaha, Neb. When Electrozone is curing so many it will cure you.

"Electrozone cured me of stomach trouble and catarrh. In Electrozone you have a great remedy. I shall always praise it," writes T. S. Moffit, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

"Electrozone I consider the greatest blood purifier on the market," writes R. S. C. Harris, 155 1/2 Fifty-eighth Avenue, New York.

"Electrozone is a boon to suffering women," writes Mrs. Rogers, of Michigan Bluff.

"Electrozone cured me of stomach trouble. I recommend it as a fine medicine," writes W. Jackson, Catalena, Cal.

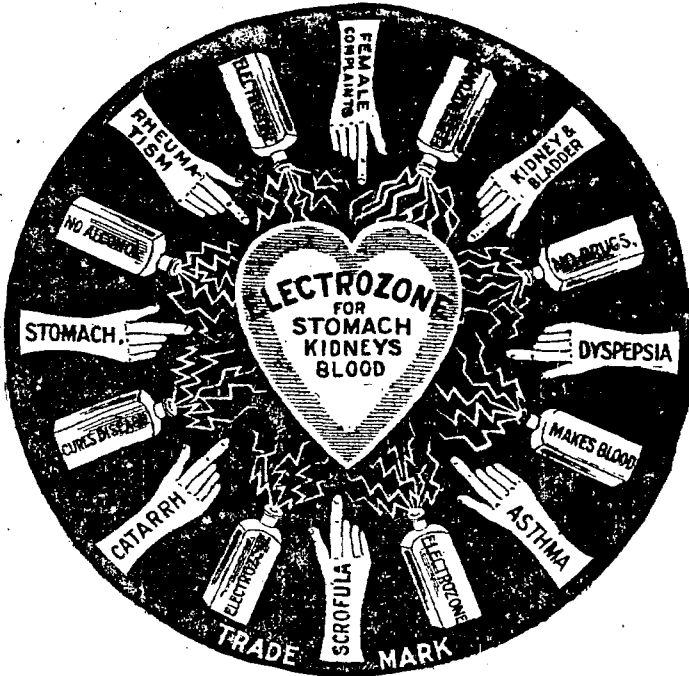
A Conductor Cured—"Electrozone cured me of Kidney and Bladder ailment," writes T. L. Orr, of Pasadena, Cal. What more proof do you want?

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Electrozone Mfg. Co., Pa. Dept., 850 Howard St., San Francisco, Cal.

To convince you of the wonderful curative powers of the great ELECTROZONE preparations a sample package of one of our preparations will be given absolutely free at the Tribune business office, 417 8th Street, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 3d, 4th and 5th.



WHAT PHYSICIANS SAY.

Los Angeles, April 11, 1899
I am a physician and surgeon of thirty-six years practice. I have used and prescribed Electrozone with good results for Stomach, Kidney and Nervous derangement and cheerfully recommend its use for those diseases.
T. B. TAYLOR, A. M., M. D., 545 Spring St.

DR. WOOD BAUGHMAN writes: Electrozone is a good remedy. It will force its way to the front on its intrinsic merits. I prescribe it with good results.
D. WOOD BAUGHMAN, M. D., New Hall, Cal.

I regard Electrozone as a very valuable addition to modern advanced practice of medicine, in the treatment of Exhaustion, Heart, Stomach, Kidney and Liver affections, where a decided tonic alterant and blood corrective is required, it has given me entire satisfaction.
DR. S. H. WOOD,
Graduate St. Louis Med. College, Class '73; formerly Surgeon-General Maricopa Co. (Arizona), Hospital

WHAT THE PRESS SAYS

THE BALLARD NEWS

Electrozone advertises itself. It is a good remedy.

THE LOS ANGELES TIDINGS

We have personally interviewed the people of this city who have given testimonials of having been cured with Electrozone and we find that to be true.

THE ARIZONA REPUBLICAN

The most prominent daily in Arizona in its issue June 20, 1899, says: Electrozone is a great invigorator and keeps the blood in healthy condition. Retail druggists say it is the greatest seller on the market. It is especially beneficial for Kidney and Bladder Ailments, Rheumatism, Stomach Trouble and Catarrh.

THE WORLD, NOV. 15, 1899

Electrozone is putting new life into people. It makes weak people strong and strong people stronger. Electrozone proves to be what suffering humanity needed for years. Disease disappears before Electrozone like dew before the sun.

THE UNION RECORD, JAN. 27, 1900, SAYS.

The Electrozone Manufacturing Company should receive thanks from the public for the great good their remedy has done the sick and suffering. We know of many severe cases of blood and stomach diseases that have been completely cured with Electrozone.

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Death Due to a Fall.

Harry Johnson, aged four years, died yesterday at the home of his parents in Pleasant Valley. Death resulted from a severe fall some time ago. The remains will be interred at Oakland, where the Johnsons formerly resided.

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NEWS OF COUNTY

PRETTY WEDDING AT HAYWARDS.

Many People Invited to Witness the Ceremony.

HAYWARDS, April 27.—A. E. Fischer has finally decided not to await an order from the court, but to immediately turn over the town funds to the newly elected Treasurer, Ed Haas.

This action will probably remove all likelihood of a contest over the validity of the recent election, unless the matter is taken in hand by the Town Trustees. There is some talk of the Board taking the matter into court, so that there can be no possible question of the legality of their actions should they issue bonds.

However, as the Trustees have been advised by their attorney that there were no fatal errors in the election, it is not likely that anything further will be done.

PRETTY WEDDING.

One of the affairs of the season in the social circles of Haywards took place last evening when Miss Grace Hatch and Sophia Federated were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian Church. The edifice was artistically decorated with floral decorations and trailing vines, and palms and potted plants.

The bride was accompanied by Miss Emma Lisen of Oakland as maid of honor, while Miss Anna Federated and Miss Florence Hatch acted as bridesmaids. Miss Edith Moore, a little cousin of the bride, acted as ring-bearer.

Frank O. Hatch was best man, and Edwin Gates and John Frost of San Francisco acted as ushers.

The bride was dressed in a handsome gown of point d'esprit lace over white silk. The maid of honor was gowned in pink organdie and carried American Beauty roses. The bridesmaids wore dresses of white organdie and also carried roses.

WERE STRANDED AT PLEASANTON.

Citizens Get Up a Purse to Help a Poor Family.

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The Southern Pacific Company do not do a credit business, so Mrs. Narvell was forced upon Pleasanton for support. Shortly after she was put off the train she was seen in front of the Rose Hotel in a pitiful condition. Seeing the need of assistance, Millard Saunders, H. Dunlap, Wm. Murray and Tommy Murphy came to her aid.

Several weeks ago Mr. Narvell left El Paso, Texas, for San Francisco where he intended to work, but unable to find employment he journeyed to Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Narvell, believing that her husband had secured employment, left El Paso to join him and upon arriving in San Francisco discovered that he had again departed, leaving her to the mercy of the proprietor of the International Hotel, who held her trunk and who has since been paid through the courtesy of Pleasanton contributors.

Mr. Saunders secured accommodations for Mrs. Narvell and her four children at the Pleasanton Hotel, where she remained until her departure Thursday evening for her former home in El Paso, Texas.

Mr. Saunders telephoned to Mr. Narvell at Portland, Oregon, notifying him of the financial condition of his family, and the following letter was received and we publish the same as written:

Portland, Ore., April 16, 1900.
Mollie I am almost crazy about the way every thing is going here. I will leave here today for Ogden Utah you see if you can come there I am going back east so you can't see me off at Ogden I am broke I will tell you where I can see you so make your way to Ogden Utah and write to me there I am crazy as a bed bug I am sick to the heart so write to me at once.

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THE EXCITEMENT NOT OVER

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NEW SHOE STORE.

Mr. Dyer, who has lately come from Boston, will soon open a shoe store in the Old Fellows' building at this place. He expects to be ready for customers by the first of May.

EMERYVILLE

EMERYVILLE, April 27.—Since the reduction in the charges for telephone service in Emeryville a number of new lines have been put in. The new service is proving a great convenience to residents. No new poles have been put up, the wires being strung on the old ones. The condition of the old poles is such that an entire new system will probably have to be put in before long.

MISSION SAN JOSE

MISSION, San Jose, April 27.—Lumber is being hauled on the ground on the old corner where Mr. Poutet is going to erect a saloon and a five room dwelling. James Turner has the contract. He will begin work at a day's notice.

The ceremony was Thursday for Dawson City where he intends going into mining again.

Miss Nellie May of East Oakland spent several days visiting her cousin, Mrs. L. C. Merritt.

James O'Brien of Decoto was in town yesterday arranging for the work on the brick foundation for the new saloon on Poutet's place.

SAN LEANDRO

SAN LEANDRO, April 26.—The wedding of Miss Mary Gooch and William E. Ross took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross, on the corner of Jackson and Santa Clara avenues. The ceremony was performed in the parlor of the home, which was prettily decorated with flowers and green leaves, the prevailing colors being pink and green. In the alcove in which the couple stood hung a large wedding bell made of white roses.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Ross, a great uncle of the groom, who had also officiated at his father's wedding.

Miss Alice B. Ross, a sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, and H. W. Gooch, a brother of the bride, was best man.

After the ceremony and elaborate wedding supper was served. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon in the north, after which they will return to this city and make their home at the residence of Mr. Ross' parents, on Haywards avenue.

Among the guests present were: Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ross, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gooch, Mrs. G. P. Thomas, Mrs. E. Welch, the Misses Violet and Edna Gooch, Mrs. H. A. Boardman, Mrs. A. Leobach, Miss Labrad, Miss Ruby Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of San Francisco, Mr. Salinger, Robert Danbee, A. J. Gooch, D. W. Toffelmer, Miss Isabel McCormack, Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, William Hackett, Miss Grace Hackett, John S. Killen, Rose Rebekah Lodge, No. 224, with give an entertainment and dance this evening.

DEEDS.

Mar 24, 00—Melissa S. Carle (widow) to Hyacinth Hill, W. Center st 34 N W 13th st N 25 x W 100 lot 5 blk 566-A map of Peralta and Center st lds, Okd, QCD, \$10.

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N 25 x E 125 blk 482, same, Okd; N 3d st 35 E 7th st 1/2 x N 94 blk 451, Adeline and Market st Hd, Okd, \$10.
Sept 28, 00—Theodore and Ida Wagner to Julius Hoggeman, all int lots 21 and 22 blk 3, Downing tract, Bldg, \$50.
Apr 19, 00—Wm W McKee to Leventia I McKee, lots 12 and 13 Portland Park being a sub lot 38 Kingsland tract, Bldg Tp, subj to mtg, \$10.
Apr 26, 00—Jos N and Anna M Cox to May E Richards wr E L, SE Champlain and Palmetto sts E 121 S 65 W 120 S N 59.50 to beg beg lots 9 and 10 blk E, on map of resub blk B, Prospect Hill tract, Bldg Tp, subj to a mtg for \$80, \$200.
Apr 23, 00—Eben Enos to Frank Rogers, the und S 1/2 lot 27 blk B, Buenaventura tract map 2, Bldg Tp, \$10.
Apr 23, 00—Annie May Williams to Frank S Oliver, and 1/2 part of following—Beg at a pt 130 from NW cor county road or Huff and Fruitvale avs th NE 34.56 ft NW 32.9 ft to center Sausal creek th down center of Sausal creek SE 65.0 ft SE 63 ft SW 62 ft SW 27.0 ft SW 55.0 ft SW 35.0 ft to N lot 10 subj to mtg, \$150 th SE 5.30 ft SE 93.4 ft th leaving the county road N 1340 NE 130 ft SE 70 ft to beg, Bldg Tp, \$10.
Apr 23, 00—Eben Enos and Robt E Glaze to D Friot, E Grand st 80 S San Antonio S 70 x E 173, Ala, subj to a mtg for \$3,600, \$30.
Apr 2, 00—Caroline B and Edw L Gifford to A C Anderson, S Briggs av 700 E High st E 50 x S 203 beg lot 31 map of Briggs tract, Ala, \$10.
Mar 5, 00—Mary E and Scott Van Wyne to Mark Sheldon, lot 1 blk 23, Northern Addition to town of Livermore, Murray Tp, \$10.
Apr 23, 00—J. J. Traver, admr est J. C. Traver, Frank and J. J. Traver and Mary E Traver, to Harvey C. Somers, Okd, N 21st st 137-6 W Curtis 57-6 x 100, ptn lots 13 and 13 blk I, Curtis and Williams tract map 2, Bldg Tp, \$10.
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Tivoli—"The Wizard of the Nile."
Orpheum-Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"Quo Vadis."

California Jockey Club—Races all week.

PICNICS AT SHELBY MOUND PARK.

Sunday, April 29th—Scandinavian Society.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1900.

Fighting Joe Wheeler is to marry again.

Now no one can dispute that he is a brave man.

The pneumatic tube scandal shows that a plan was on foot to blow in the Government in a manner not at all anticipated.

Astronomers are preparing for the approaching total eclipse.

As far as California is concerned, the event will be out of sight.

A brick trust has been formed in California.

This ought to escape attack by the newspapers in view of the fact that the power of the press is enlisted in the business in order to get the highest class material on the market.

Wilconsin, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Washington—as fast as the roll is called the name of McKinley is presented as the choice for President.

He won't even have to go to the trouble of a walk-over for the Republican nomination, for it is coming to him as a gift.

A "Dole"-ful tale comes up from Hawaii.

For the President of the islands and his cabinet object to the bill we have passed regarding them.

Very few people do like bills anyhow, especially when they have to pay the piper as the Hawaiians figure they will have to do in this instance.

The highway robberies that are so prevalent in San Francisco seem to be the work of one individual instead of the customary tall and short man.

However, as he is reported to be of pretty good height the other end of the combination is furnished by the victim who is short enough by the time his assistant gets through with the pocket emptying performance.

WHAT RATE WARS MEAN.

Several of the newspapers in this State seem to be much disturbed because, now that the Santa Fe is at Point Richmond, there is not to be a rate war.

They will find, however, that the business men of California do not share their regrets.

A rate war is the last thing that a merchant desires, and his point of view will undoubtedly commend itself to the men who hold vested interests in a community's welfare.

The fierce competition that followed the entrance of the Santa Fe into California in 1881 left scars that have not yet been obliterated.

The manufacturing interests here were jeopardized, and this State became the dumping ground for immense stocks of finished products from Eastern factories with which we could not compete.

It was a disastrous war. The Southern Pacific stood the tremendous drain on its resources, but there can be no doubt that the delay in building the coast line to Los Angeles and other improvements was directly due to the cost of that struggle.

As for the Santa Fe, it never recovered and was at last forced into the receiver's hands, from which it has emerged with no desire for such another experience.

Many shareholders in that company, especially in New England, were widows and children. They were ruined.

The Santa Fe itself was forced to delay its construction to the bay of San Francisco until now.

"If anything be demoralizing to business," says Vice President Morton of the Santa Fe, "it is a rate war, and we do not want it."

Nor do responsible citizens of California want it. Did any one stop to think that, in the sale of a great iron plant at the Potrero, San Francisco, the other day, a historic institution that had withstood the shock of the failure of the Bank of California in 1876 and other financial panics passed out of existence after thirty-two years, mainly through inability to recover from the losses caused by the rate war begun by the North American Navigation Company?

The fact is that our merchants, who sell at low prices and make a profit, must have stable freight rates to calculate upon, otherwise the immense stocks that make low prices possible cannot be laid in and the small quantities purchased must be sold at higher figures to make a profit possible.

Most of our merchants have large stocks contracted for or now in their warehouses. Suppose a rate war to be inaugurated. Their margin of profit would be wiped out instantly and their goods would be unsold or else be marketed at a loss to meet the prices of a rival who had gained a temporary advantage by delaying his importations until railway charges began to come down. The latter gains no permanent advantage, the former is embarrassed, the railways lose money and business conditions are disturbed for years. Legitimate competition improves trade, but rate wars are death to business.

CALIFORNIANS IN PARIS.

The following Californians have registered at the office of the California Paris Exposition Commission, 8 Place de l'Opera, Paris:
Benjamin Basset, San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Foute, Alameda.
Mrs. Clara A. Rader, Los Angeles.
Miss Ella Kimball, Los Angeles.
Miss Mary Anselmi, Santa Cruz.
Miss Ella Clark, Los Angeles.
George Lewis, San Francisco.
Hugo M. O'Connell, San Francisco.
Germant Pouchan, San Francisco.
Mrs. E. E. Purnell, Sacramento.
James Philip Smith, Santa Cruz.
Leonard and wife, San Francisco.
Mrs. T. H. Donovan, Sacramento.
Mrs. William Beckman, Sacramento.
Leonard and wife, San Francisco.
Mrs. Edna and wife, San Francisco.
Miss Mary D. Snell, San Francisco.
Miss Evelyn Gwynne, Los Angeles.
Miss Jane Crellin, Oakland.
Miss Ethel Crellin, Oakland.
Miss Anna Fay, Los Angeles.
Miss Anna Graves, Los Angeles.
Miss Lavinia, Los Angeles.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duffill, Los Angeles.
Mr. Harry Duffill, Los Angeles.
Emil Waterman, San Francisco.
Mrs. Henry Barroillet, San Mateo.
Miss Rena Thompson, San Francisco.
Benjamin and wife, San Francisco.
J. L. U. Brunet, San Francisco.
C. D. Roberts, San Francisco.
Caroline H. Little, San Francisco.
Robert Taylor Rice, San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hobart, Oakland.
D. D. Robin Jr., Yosemite.
Mrs. Wendell Baxton, San Francisco.
Miss Taylor Rice, San Francisco.
A. G. Boyer, Los Angeles.
Mrs. J. H. Hopkins, San Francisco.
Miss Lavinia, San Francisco.
L. Machefer, San Jose.
Elmer E. Farmer, Stanford University.
Brett, San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wilson, San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Van Wyck, San Francisco.
Carl Bancroft, San Francisco.
J. Lee Allen, Los Angeles.
A. Brignardello, San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Blum, San Francisco.
Conrad A. Blum, San Francisco.
Frederick M. Blum, San Francisco.
Leon Blum, San Francisco.
Henry I. Kovalsky, San Francisco.
Miss Mabel A. Kovalsky, San Francisco.
Dorothy Turner, San Francisco.
Richard H. Miller, San Francisco.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, April 27.—The Chronicle says:

A committee representing the striking Southern operators has been in Chicago several days conferring with prominent members of the Order of Railway Telegraphists.

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BRILLIANT SCENE AT THE KITTREDGE HOME LAST NIGHT.

Baldwin-Kittredge Nuptials--Wilkinson Wedding at Berkeley--Personal Mention.

Underneath a beautiful bower of roses, and in the presence of many friends, the words were spoken by the Rev. Charles R. Brown that united in marriage Miss Harriet Kittredge and Frank Baldwin last evening.

The beauty of the Kittredge home on Grove street was enhanced by the use of hundreds of dainty blossoms.

The hallway was a study in green and white. Huge bunches of snowballs stood with tulle, the long ends of which were gracefully looped up, made the apartment most effective.

The drawing room in which the ceremony took place was in pink and green. Many duchess roses and streamers of tulle amid a background of bamboo made a charming setting for the pretty scene enacted. Fancy, odd-shaped baskets filled with fragrant roses were suspended about the apartments by means of pink ribbons, and in the arched doorway there was a profusion of roses beautifully arranged.

The dining room was in yellow, the scheme being wrought out in fleur-de-lis and bright marigolds.

Quantities of snowballs were used in the dining-room, which showed a pretty arrangement of green and white.

The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock, the bride and groom entering the drawing room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, rendered by a concealed orchestra. Dr. Brown was assisted by the Rev. J. K. McLean, who offered the prayer.

Miss Ethel Kittredge, the bride's sister, was the maid of honor, and her bridesmaid, Arthur Baldwin acted as the groom's best man. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. E. H. Kittredge.

After the ceremony, the bride and groom were the ushers.

The bride wore an exquisite gown of heavy white satin, with a train and sleeves of duchess lace. It was made with a long, sweeping train, and her tulle veil fell in graceful folds to her feet.

On the bottom of the gown, a beautiful diamond sunburst, the gift of the groom, was carried a bouquet of Easter lilies, with a shower of orange blossoms.

Miss Ethel Kittredge wore a gown of white chiffon, daintily tucked and ruffled, and with a long train. She carried a shower bouquet of bridesmaid roses.

Mrs. Kittredge, the bride's mother, had a handsome toilet of black lace in a crysanthemum pattern over white tulle. On the bottom of the gown, a diamond sunburst, the gift of the groom, was carried a bouquet of Easter lilies, with a shower of orange blossoms.

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Special line of fancy ribbons, plaids and stripes. 20c. Better quality in all the new shades 25c, 30c, 35c. Many styles of fancy ribbons for adorning the hair. 10c and 12½c.

THE BROOKS CASE

"The will as it stands," answered Brooks, "I wish to see sustained, because I believe it disposes of the estate as my father desired. Financially, however, it would be to my advantage to have it broken."

QUEEN HOME AGAIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, April 27.—Thousands of persons this morning witnessed the landing of the Queen at Holyhead, where she arrived yesterday on her return from Ireland. The royal train started southward at 11 o'clock amid enthusiastic demonstration. On the arrival of her majesty at Chester the Mayor and Corporation of that place presented her with an address.

LUTHERAN CHURCH TO EXECUTE MORTGAGE.

St. Paul's English Evangelical Lutheran Church has been authorized to mortgage its property at Thirty-second and Linden streets for \$500.

Defendant Defaults.

A default has been entered against Helen Kidd, who is being sued for a divorce by W. L. Kidd.

OTAWA AND HULL IN A FLAME. Four Lives and Millions of Dollars Lost in the Flames.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. OTTAWA, Ont., April 27.—At 5 a. m., the fire which has raged here since 11 p. m. yesterday, was under control. The number of buildings destroyed will probably aggregate 2,000, including loss from the burning of the city hall, which is estimated at \$1,000,000. Between 12,000 and 15,000 men, women and children are homeless. Four lives were lost.

SUMMARY OF LOSSES. TORONTO, Ont., April 27.—Dispatches from Ottawa summarize the situation as follows: Buildings destroyed, 2,000. Hull—Buildings destroyed, 1,300. Total loss, both cities, estimated at \$20,000,000. Total insurance, both cities, estimated at \$12,000,000. Lives lost so far—Four. Some of the losses are: Booth Lumber Company, \$2,000,000; Eddy Company, \$1,000,000; McKay Milling Company, \$500,000; Hull Lumber Company, \$500,000; Electric Light Company, \$250,000; Dominion Carbine Works, \$150,000.

A TERRIBLE CALAMITY. MONTREAL, April 27.—A special to the Star from Ottawa says: The greatest fire in the history of Canada was that which visited Hull and the Western district of Ottawa yesterday. The loss is roughly estimated at \$20,000,000. Over 3,000 families have been rendered homeless. There is no means of arriving at absolutely reliable conclusions in these reports as yet, but the numbers cannot well be below these figures. The major part of Hull, with its immediate industrial, commercial and the homes of their operatives, was swept clean, as well as Victoria and Dalhousie wards in Ottawa. The valuable lumber piles and the houses of the workers and the loss on this score alone cannot be less than \$3,000,000.

The sensational stories of the origin of the conflagration have no foundation in fact. The fire broke out in the center of Hull early in the forenoon, but that it is connected with the burning of the city hall is a matter of fact. The fire started in the city hall, which is situated on the river, and spread toward the river, fanned by a strong wind, threatening and ultimately destroying E. D. Eddy's mills.

Before 1 o'clock it had leaped the Ottawa river and swept across to Hull, carrying everything in front of it. Nothing more grand could be imagined as a spectacle. Considered in its consequences, no greater calamity has visited Canada in years. There was a belt of flame fully four miles in length and at least half a mile in width. A thick smoke streamed southwestward from the burning district all day, and yet the sun shone clear and bright, changing the sky to the appearance of a summer cloud, while beneath it was a long line of blackness, the smoke and the flames of the burning city.

The Dominion government is among the first to have been affected by the disaster. The Canadian Pacific Railway track in Hull was destroyed. The Canadian Pacific Railway track in Hull was destroyed. The Canadian Pacific Railway track in Hull was destroyed.

John Nawan, a builder, was taken to St. Luke's hospital badly burned and hurt. James Merrillfield was taken to the hospital seriously injured by a falling building. There were some narrow escapes.

Mr. Glashan, Public School Inspector, was busy engaged in trying to save the Wellington street school and was superintending the removal of the furniture. He remained in the building until the roof collapsed. Most of the lumber piles in Ottawa and Hull have disappeared, and new mounds of charred wood and ashes mark their sites. Half a dozen churches and schools have been burned; this and match factory and E. B. Eddy's residence have been destroyed. Bronson's and Weston's mill, the Hull Lumber Company's mill, one of Booth's mills and the McKay Company's premises, one of the fifteen houses of the Ottawa Electric Company, the small Water Works, the Hull courthouse and jail, and the postoffice, the convent, almost every place and about 1,000 houses have been destroyed. On the Ottawa side many fine residences were included in the fire area, including that of J. S. Booth, which alone was estimated at \$1,000,000. The residence of his son-in-law, A. W. Fleck, close beside, and the Hon. Geo. Foster's residence in the same locality were burned. The reason for the fire, Mr. Bronson, and Mr. Parr of the Parr's Mills, had two beautiful houses out of which they were quickly driven by the flames.

The Canadian Pacific Railway station on Chaudiere Plats burned quickly. The station was in the house of Mr. Kirovack, on Chaudiere street, Hull. It is said that Mrs. Kirovack was lighting a gas lamp in the kitchen and that the chimney on fire. The flames spread to the roof, quickly communicated to the adjoining houses, and in a few minutes a great gale blowing at the time, the fire was soon beyond control. Hundreds of homeless persons slept in the open air last night, or wandered about the streets of Ottawa and Hull, although many houses were freely thrown open to the homeless. Many people were accommodated in the Drill Hall, the Salvation Army barracks and other places.

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HULL IN RUINS. OTTAWA, April 27.—The scene of the Hull fire today presents a vast desert of bare earth out of which the porch of Notre Dame Du Grace, the property of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate, the St. Mary's School, recently built at a cost of \$100,000 and a cluster of residences around the church alone are intact. Among the ruins of a house on Washington street, Hull, today was found the corpse of a man named Bernaby Myers. All night in Ottawa the homeless ones have been going about looking for places to sleep. The Duke of Cornwall visited the city and a number of his subjects. All night in Ottawa the homeless ones have been going about looking for places to sleep. The Duke of Cornwall visited the city and a number of his subjects.

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